

In the Specification:

Please insert on page 1, prior to the first line, the following paragraph:

--This application is a Continuation of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/919,182, filed July 30, 2001 and entitled JOINERY MEMBER AND FASTENER AND PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR PLACEMENT OF THE FASTENER, the entire content of which is incorporated herein by this reference.--

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 18, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--While existing pocket screws are suitable for use in high production applications, using the apparatus and process of the present invention, such conventional pocket screws or wood screws are not formed in a manner which makes them ideal for the present process and apparatus. Moreover, conventional screw pocket forming apparatus, including my prior U.S. Patent Nos. ~~[[4,603,716]]~~ 4,603,719 and 5,063,982, produce pockets or mortises having a screw receiving bore 26 which also is somewhat less than ideal for use in the present apparatus and process.--

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 17, line 16, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--Fastener positioning device ~~[[39]]~~ 41 also includes a placement assembly 91 formed to urge fastener 74 from gripping apparatus 83 into contact with joinery member 33 with pointed end 88 of the fastener in a predetermined known position in relation to the joinery member, namely, inserted down bore 68. Placement assembly accomplishes such positioning by pivoting of arm 92 about pivot pin 93, as indicated by arrow 94. The result is to urge the fastener out of the gripping assembly and into bore 68, as shown in FIGS. 7 and 8.--